

Crittenden County

1) Brief History

Founded April 1, 1842, Crittenden is the state's ninety-first county and is named after John Jordan Crittenden, a former senator and governor of Kentucky. Originally a part of Livingston County, it was first settled by James Armstrong of South Carolina. He arrived in the Fredonia Valley area in 1786, where he built a cabin and was joined by his family in 1791. By then many other families had moved into the area, most being of English, Scotch, and Irish descent.

The first county seat was the Crooked Creek community where the first court was held at the home of Samuel Ashley. In 1844 the county seat was moved a few miles south to Marion, where John S. Gilliam donated land for the public buildings. In the 1840s Marion was an industrial town with the largest fluorspar mine in the country. However, the fluorspar industry peaked in 1947 and has since greatly declined due to competition from imported fluorspar.

The county has a strong agricultural economy, the major crops and livestock being corn, wheat, soybeans, alfalfa, cattle, and hogs. Other products include lumber, modular homes, glass products, and the blue crystal made famous by Ball canning jars.

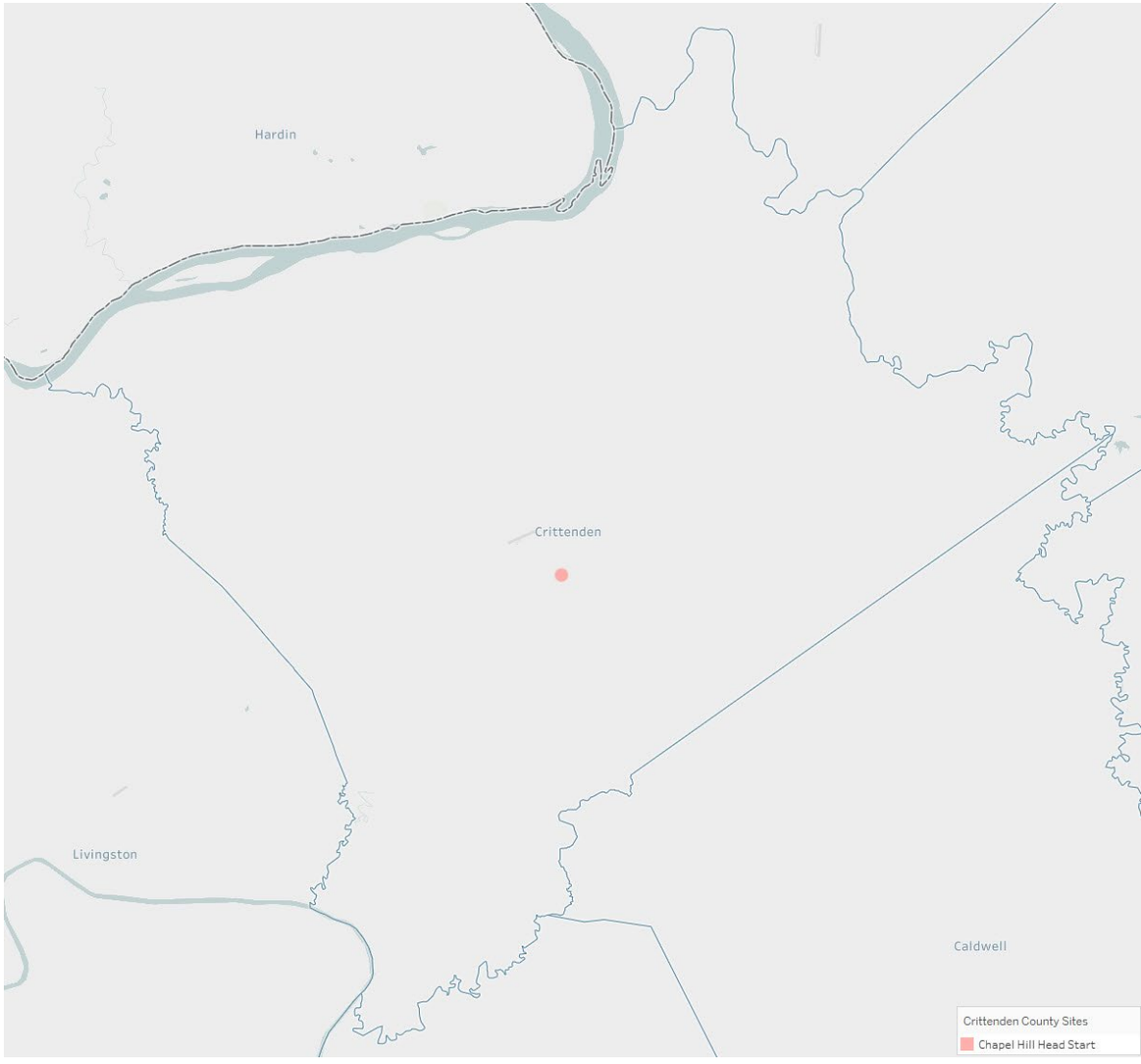
2) Geographical Description

Crittenden County is located in the western portion of the Pennyroyal region in the southwest portion of the state. It is bordered by the Ohio River as well as Union, Webster, Caldwell, Lyon, and Livingston Counties and has a total land mass of 360 square miles.

The terrain is characterized by rolling hills and elevations ranging from 334 feet above sea level in the lowest areas on the Ohio River to 834 feet above sea level in the Ridgeland. The county is drained by the Crooked Camp, Hurricane, Livingston, and Piney creeks and by the Cumberland, Tradewater, and Ohio rivers. One-third to three-eighths of the 360-square-mile county is wooded, with a wide variety of trees ranging from white oak to wild cherry. The county has valuable deposits of natural resources including fluorspar, zinc, oil, aluminum, porcelain, coal, limestone for gravel, and sand for glass making.

Source: kyenc.org

3) Location of Centers



Chapel Hill Head Start
733 Chapel Hill Rd
Marion KY, 42064

4) Demographic Data

a) Population Description and Projected Growth

Annual Estimates of Resident Population											
April 1, 2010								April 1, 2020 Estimates Base	Population Estimate (as of July 1)		
Census	Estimates Base	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019		2020	2021	2022
9,315	9,315	9,175	9,168	9,131	8,999	8,896	8,806	8,988	9,002	8,939	8,981

Age Group as a Percent of Population															
Total population	Under 5		5-9		10-14		15-19		20-24		25-34		35-44		
	Actual	%	Actual	%	Actual	%	Actual	%	Actual	%	Actual	%	Actual	%	
8,997	478	5.3%	567	6.3%	605	6.7%	489	5.4%	495	5.5%	1,004	11.2%	1,068	11.9%	
	45-54		55-59		60-64		65-74		75-84		85 yrs+				
	Actual	%	Actual	%	Actual	%	Actual	%	Actual	%	Actual	%			
	1,114	12.4%	691	7.7%	675	7.5%	1,072	11.9%	558	6.2%	181	2.0%			

b) Households and Families

Households and Families		
	Estimate	%
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Total households	3,452	
Households with one or more people under 18 years	988	28.6%
Households with one or more people 65 years and over	1,320	38.2%
Average household size	2.54	
Average family size	3.24	
GRANDPARENTS		
Number of grandparents living with own grandchildren under 18 years	231	
Grandparents responsible for grandchildren	118	51.1%
UNITS IN STRUCTURE		
Total housing units	4,366	
1-unit structures	3,694	84.6%
2-or more-unit structures	98	2.2%
Mobile homes, Boat, RV, etc.	574	13.1%
HOUSING TENURE		
Owner-occupied	2,857	82.8%
Renter-occupied	595	17.2%
VEHICLES AVAILABLE		
Occupied housing units	3,452	
No vehicles available	172	5.0%
1 vehicle available	1,078	31.2%
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS		
Lacking complete plumbing facilities	23	0.7%
Lacking complete kitchen facilities	16	0.5%
No telephone service available	170	4.9%

c) Racial and Ethnic Demographics

Racial & Ethnic Demographics								
Total Population:	Not Hispanic or Latino							Hispanic or Latino:
	White	Black or African American	American Indian & Alaska Native	Asian	Native Hawaiian & Other Pac. Islander	Other race	2 or more races:	
8,853	8,532	60	58	30	0	78	95	288

d) Characteristics and Projected Growth

Census 2010 and 2020			
Actual			
Census 2010	Census 2020	Net Change	% Change
9,315	8,990	-325	-3.49%

Population Projections 2025-2040											
Projections											
2025	Net Change	% Change	2030	Net Change	% Change	2035	Net Change	% Change	2040	Net Change	% Change
8,749	-241	-2.68%	8,477	-272	-3.11%	8,209	-268	-3.16%	7,924	-285	-3.47%

Summary Indicators												
Population			Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	Median age (years)				Ratio Analysis				
Total	Male	Female		Median age (years)	Under 18 years	Male	Female	Sex ratio (males per 100 females)	65 years and over	Male	Female	Sex ratio (males per 100 females)
8,997	4,572	4,425	103.3	43.6	2,023	3,487	3,487	100.0	1,811	859	952	90.2

e) Social and Economic Status of Population

Educational Attainment

Less than a High School Diploma or Equivalent	High School Diploma or Equivalent	Some College but No Degree	Associate's Degree	Bachelor's Degree	Graduate or Professional Degree
14.2%	44.0%	20.4%	8.4%	8.2%	4.8%

Basic Facts

Total Population	Median Household Income	Per Capita Income	Living In Poverty	Without Medical Insurance	Unemployment Rate	Access to Broadband Internet (2021)
8,997	\$45,000	\$25,939	18.9%	8.6%	3.1%	73.6%

5) Estimated Number of Head Start Eligible Children

Estimated Number of Early Head Start Eligible Children

Total population (Estimate)	%	Under 5 Years	Children 0-2 Years Old	2021 Child Poverty Rate	Estimated Eligible Income	Funded Enrollment	Difference
8,997	5.4%	478	217	29.4%	64	20	-44

Estimated Number of Head Start Eligible Children

Total population (Estimate)	%	Under 5 Years	Children 3-4 Years Old	2021 Child Poverty Rate	Estimated Eligible Income	Funded Enrollment	Difference
8,997	5.4%	478	200	29.4%	59	51	-8

6) Nutrition

Health Outcomes and Factors							
Health Outcomes		Health Factors		Length of Life		Quality of Life	
Z-Score	Rank	Z-Score	Rank	Z-Score	Rank	Z-Score	Rank
-0.17	59	-0.08	55	0.14	87	-0.31	30
Health Behaviors		Clinical Care		Social & Economic Factors		Physical Environment	
Z-Score	Rank	Z-Score	Rank	Z-Score	Rank	Z-Score	Rank
-0.08	35	0.17	114	-0.12	45	-0.05	10

Health Care Providers								
Primary Care Physicians			Dentists			Mental Health Providers		
# Primary Care Physicians	PCP Ratio	Z-Score	# Dentists	Dentist Ratio	Z-Score	# Mental Health Providers	MHP Ratio	Z-Score
4	2212:1	-0.10	1	8947:1	1.02			0.00

7) Children with Disabilities

Children Receiving Medicaid Insurance	Children Receiving KCHIP Health Insurance	KCHIP Expansion	<i>Risk Factors -</i> Low Birth Weight Babies (born >5.5 pounds)		<i>Risk Factors -</i> Children 0-17 years old with Substantiated Abuse / Neglect	
939	9	183	X	X	35	

8) Strengths and Needs of Head Start Eligible Children and Families as Defined by the Families

Families in each county were given the opportunity to be involved in our Family Partnership Agreement process which included completing an individualized family goal, pre-assessment, and post assessment. The main areas for both assessments include: education, employment, housing, transportation, emergency assistance, child birth, relative child, family literacy, resources/training, volunteering, and community involvement. The purpose of the pre-assessment is to better understand the family's unique strengths and needs to determine if any follow-up of services or resources are needed.

Pre & Post Assessment with Families			
Assessment	1	2	+/-
Employment & Job Skills	3.5	3.7	▲0.2
Money Management	3.3	3.6	▲0.4
Safe and Stable Housing	3.7	3.8	▲0.1
Transportation Access	3.8	3.9	▲0.1
Medical, Dental & Vision Care	3.8	4	▲0.2
Mental Wellness	3.7	3.7	-
Nutrition	2.7	2.7	▲0
Parenting Practices	3.6	3.7	▲0.1
Actively Involved with Child	3.3	3.4	▲0.1
Language Development	3.1	3.4	▲0.3
Parent as Educator	3	3.4	▲0.4
Adult Education	2.2	2.2	▲0
Transitional Services	2.5	3.8	▲1.3
Support Network	3.4	3.6	▲0.2
Civic/Community Involvement	1.5	2.2	▲0.7
TOTAL	47.2	51.1	▲3.9

9) Strengths and Needs of Head Start Eligible Children and Families as Defined by the Community

Health needs in the community:

- Obesity
- Cancer Rates
- High smoking rates
- Access to mental health services-currently poor structure for mental health/substance abuse
- Lack of counseling for patients and families regarding mental health
- Population is getting older – issues related to aging population (Alzheimer's, need for specialized care, etc.)

Source: CHS Needs Assessment

10) Other Child Development Programs

Early Care and Education Programs				
Kindergarten	Preschool	Head Start Enrollment	Total Child Care Capacity	Children Receiving Child Care Assistance (CCAP Program)
82	33	47	132	29

Child Care Providers				
Percent of Total Child Care Facilities by STAR Rating				
One Star	Two Stars	Three Stars	Four Stars	Unrated
66.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	33.3%

Licensed/Certified Child Care Centers and Capacity by STAR Rating				
STARS Licensed	STARS Certified	STARS Licensed Child Care Capacity	STARS Certified Child Care Capacity	Public Preschool
3		132		1

Access and Availability of Community Resources

Career Training, Employment, and Job Readiness

Kentucky Office of Vocational Rehabilitation

275 E. Main Street Mail Drop 2-EK
Frankfort, KY 40621

Toll Free:800-372-7172
Phone: 502-564-4440
Fax: 502-564-6745
Fax: 502-564-1268

Child Services

Protection and Permanency

113 815 South Main Street
PO Box 433
Marion, KY 42064-0433

Phone: 270-965-5246
Fax: 270-965-2424

Child Support Office

217 West Bellville
P.O. Box 205
Marion, KY 42064-1507

Phone: 270-965-5476
Fax: 270-965-1634

Family Resource Youth Center

601 W Gum Street
Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-9833

TOLU COMMUNITY CENTER

6238 SR 135
Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-9226

Family Education Assessment Treatment (F.E.A.T.)

Phone: 859-824-5074

Health Access Nurturing Development Services (H.A.N.D.S.)

Phone: 502-564-3756

Parenting Help for Teens

<http://members.tripod.com/xila/teens.html>

Clothing

Pennyrile Allied Community Services

402 Walker Street
Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-4763

Family Resource Youth Center

601 W. Gum Street
Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-9833

Disability Services**Protection & Advocacy**

100 Fair Oaks Lane, Suite 302
Frankfort, KY 40601

*Issues related to disability www.kypa.net

Phone: 800-372-2988

Fax: 502-564-0848

Center for Accessible Living

1051 N. 16th Street Suite C
Murray, KY 42071

Phone: 270-753-7676

Domestic Violence**Sanctuary, Inc.**

P.O. Box 1165
Hopkinsville, KY 42241-1165 www.sanctuaryinc.net

Phone: 270-885-4572

National Domestic Violence Hotline

Toll Free: 800-779-SAFE

Battered Women Justice Project

Toll Free: 800-903-0111

National Network to End Domestic Violence

Phone: 202-543-5566

Educational Opportunities**Crittenden County ED Tech Center**

Phone: 270-965-9294

Ex-Offender/Sex Offender Assistance & Advocacy**Bluegrass Reentry Council****Chrysalis House**

1589 Hill Rise

Lexington, KY 40504

www.KentuckyReentry.org/

Phone: 859-977-2502

Fax: 859-233-9231

Protection & Advocacy

100 Fair Oaks Lane, Suite 302

Frankfort, KY 40601

*Issues related to disability www.kypa.net

Phone: 800-372-2988

Fax: 502-564-0848

Financial Assistance**Child Support Enforcement**

217 Bellville Street

Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-5476

Cabinet for Families & Children

815 S Main Street

Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270- 965-2254

Family Resource Youth Center

601 W. Gum Street

Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-9833

Heartland Cares

619 N. 30th Street

Paducah, KY 42001 www.hcares.org

Phone: 270-444-8183

Pennyrile Allied Community Services

402 Walker Street

Marion, KY 42064 www.pacs-ky.org

Phone: 270-965-4763

Food Assistance**Cabinet for Families & Children**

815 S. Main Street
Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-2254

Heartland Cares

619 N. 30th Street
Paducah, KY 42001 www.hcares.org

Phone: 270-444-8183

Pennyrile Allied Community Services

1100 Liberty Road
Hopkinsville, KY 42240 www.pacs-ky.org

Phone: 270-885-4959

God's Pantry- Emergency Food Box Program**Life in Christ Church****Marion Baptist Food Bank****Victory Garden – Robbie Kirk – CC Sail**

Phone: 859-288-5319

Phone: 270-965-9200

Phone: 270-965-4580

Phone: 270-965-3185

Gambler's Anonymous**1-888-GA-HELPS****Government Agencies (Includes State and Local Officials/Police Agencies)****Child Support Enforcement**

217 W Bellville Street
Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-5476

Cabinet for Families & Children

815 S. Main Street
Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-2254

Crittenden County Cares

Phone: 270- 965-5310

Crittenden Health System/ Ambulance Service

520 W. Green Street
Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-2770

Phone: 270-965-2550

Crittenden County Health Department

190 Industrial Drive
P.O. Box 392
Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-5215

Government Agencies (Includes State and Local Officials/Police Agencies)**Booking/Bond**

Phone: 270-965-3184

Marion Police Department

Phone: 270-965-3400

Halfway Houses, Homeless Shelters, and Housing**Heartland Cares**

619 N. 30th Street

Paducah, KY 42001 www.hcares.org

Phone: 270-444-8183

Sanctuary, Inc.

P.O. Box 1165

Hopkinsville, KY 42241-1165 www.sanctuaryinc.net

Phone: 270-885-4572

Merryman House Domestic Crisis Center

Phone: 270-443-6001

Hotline: 800-585-2686

Healthcare**Crittenden Health System**

520 West Gum Street

Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-5281

Crittenden County Health Department

190 Industrial Drive

P.O. Box 392

Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-5215

Fax: 270-965-9078

HIV/AIDS**Heartland Cares**

619 N. 30th Street

Paducah, KY 42001 www.hcares.org

Phone: 270-444-8183

KY HIV- AIDS Program

Toll Free:800-420-7431

Identification: Birth Certificates, Driver's License, Social Security**Birth Certificate Information**

Office of Vital Statistics
275 E. Main Street, 1E-A
Frankfort, KY 40621

Phone: 502-564-4212

Driver's License Information
Crittenden Circuit Clerk

Courthouse, Suite 202
107 S. Main Street Marion, KY 42064

Phone: 270-965-4046

Social Security Information

Social Security Office – Main Office
601 W. Broadway, Room 101
Louisville, KY 40202

Local #: 866-716-9671
National: 800-772-1213
TTY: 502-582-5517

Crittenden County Social Security Office
546 Lone Oak Road, Suite 2
Paducah, KY 42003

Phone: 270-443-7506

Legal Help

Kentucky Legal Aid
1700 Destiny Lane
Bowling Green, KY 42104 www.klaid.org

Toll Free: 866-452-9243

Department of Public Advocacy
739 S. Main Street
P.O. Box 695
Henderson, KY 42419-0695

Phone: 270-826-1852

Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services

Pennyroyal Center
735 North Drive
Hopkinsville, KY 42240

Phone: 270-886-5163
Crisis #: 877-473-7766

Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services(Continued)**Western State Hospital**

P.O Box 2200
Hopkinsville, KY 42240

Phone: 270-889-6025

Substance Abuse & Mental Health Service Administration [SAMHSA]

<http://mentalhealth.samhsa.gov/databases/facility-search.aspx?state=KY>

National Alliance for the Mentally Ill (NAMI) Kentucky

C/O Somerset Community College
808 Monticello Street
Somerset, Kentucky 42501

Phone: 606-451-6935
Toll Free 800-257-5081**Alcoholics Anonymous**

Toll Free:800-467-8091

Narcotics Anonymous

Toll Free 800-662-HELP

Mental Health Association of Kentucky

120 Sears Avenue Suite 213
Louisville KY 40207

Phone: 502-638-3501
Toll Free:888-705-0463**Medication Assistance Programs**

Partnership for Prescription Assistance: www.pparx.org

RXAssist: <http://www.rxassist.org/>

Transportation**Pennyrile Allied Community Services, Inc.**

www.pacs-ky.org

Phone: 270-885-4959

Veteran's Services**Kentucky Department of Veteran's Affairs**

1111 B Louisville Road

Frankfort, KY 40601

www.veterans.ky.gov

Toll Free:800-572-6245

Phone: 502-564-9203

Fax: 502-564-9240

Readjustment Counseling Services [RCS]

US Department of Veteran's Affairs

810 Vermont Avenue, NW

Washington, DC 20420

www.va.gov

Phone:877-WAR-VETS

Veterans Affairs

926 Veterans Drive

Hanson, KY 42413

Phone: 270-322-9087